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photo by Meredith Sokol

## From the Town Hall

Submitted by Janice Boudreau

Thank you to all of you who attended our recent Annual Town Meeting. It was somewhat “normal” in that we met on our traditional date of the second Monday in May, however, it was not in our usual gathering at the Rowe Elementary School Gymnasium. The Board of Health had its concerns and opted to hold it in the Rowe Fire Station with the bay open.

Thank you to the Highway Crew, Police Chief Shippee and the Rowe Fire Department, especially Brandon Sprague for helping with the meeting set up and breakdown.

A big thank you to those who volunteer to serve the town by seeking elected office. We really value the efforts of many who keep this town running smoothly.

There are Annual Town Reports available here at Town Hall on the table on the first floor near the Elevator entrance. Also, they are available online on our website [www.rowe-ma.gov](http://www.rowe-ma.gov) on the Board of Selectmen’s page.

We are saddened to learn of the recent passing of two Rowe residents: Mary “Betty” Lenth and Angela Foshay.

## Assessor’s News

Recent Property Transfers (April 2022)

Further details may be obtained by researching the specific deeds at the Franklin County Registry of Deeds website at [masslandrecords.com/franklin](http://masslandrecords.com/franklin)

Deed Bk 7985 Pg 322, vanItallie Estate to Trevett/Messer (Pine Tree Trust), Davenport Rd, \$81,000 (Map 409 Lot 004)

## From the Board of Health

### Alternate Transfer Station Attendant Position

**Position includes but is not limited to:**

Responsible for coordinating the operations of the Transfer Station; maintaining the area in a clean, safe and organized manner.

Provide courteous and friendly assistance to Rowe residents and assist in the proper disposal of recyclable materials.

Maintain a log of activity.

**Physical demands include but are not limited to:**

Walking on uneven terrain, grass and gravel surfaces.

Reaching overhead to close bins.

Bending activities.

Lifting weights up 50 pounds.

Shoveling snow and use of snow blower.

**Work Schedule:** This is an on-call \$15.00 an hour position when the full-time attendant is unable to come in.

Please call the BOH office and leave a message at

413-339-5520 ext 105 or email your interest to [BOH@rowe-ma.gov](mailto:BOH@rowe-ma.gov)

## A Reminder from the Board of Health

New tags and stickers for the Refuse Gardens are now available. The start date for the new FY23 tags is July 1, 2022. If you have not received a letter and order form for your FY23 tag, please contact Christine at the Board of Health office 339-5520 ext 105 and she will mail one to you.

Forms and payment (\$25.00) can be placed into the drop box at the Town Hall or delivered in person to the BOH office. If you have any questions, please contact Christine at the above number or at the Town Hall on Mondays, Wednesdays, or Thursdays from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm.

## WIN A COMPOST BIN!

Are you in need of a compost bin? The Board of Health has purchased 10 bins to be raffled off at our July 20th meeting. To enter, please call the office or fill out the raffle ticket and place in the drop box at the Town Hall. One ticket per resident home please. The winners will be posted in the August Goal Post issue. GOOD LUCK!



## Hello residents of Rowe

My name is Rachel Lewis and I am the new town Nurse here for your wonderful, quaint town. I would like to give a little background on myself as well as provide you with some useful information. I graduated nursing school in 2008 with my Associate's degree in Nursing and in 2011 I graduated with my Bachelor's degree in Nursing. I have worked mostly in the hospital environment in the medical-surgical and telemetry (cardiac) units, which I continue to do at this time alongside this town nursing position. I have also delved into Oncology Nursing for a short while some years prior. I took a break from Nursing for some time when I relocated and during this time, I provided home care for a gentleman who had suffered from a stroke. After this, I became a mother and did the best (and hardest) job of all – being a stay-at-home mom! I grew up in Greenfield, but now am most fortunate to reside in Shelburne Falls with my family, my dog, and my cat and we love being in the 'West County'... what a beautiful place that we get to call 'Home'! I love to be outdoors, hike, swim, kayak. I also enjoy most sports, arts and crafts (especially painting) and spending as much time with my family as possible.

Thank you to all the residents who I have met, provided care for, or spoken to over the phone thus far...you have all been most welcoming indeed. I hope to be able to provide you helpful care and services over the coming years.

My hours currently are Monday's 8-4, Wednesday's 10-6, and Thursday's 8-4. In the future I will be providing home visits and will need to be out of the office for other reasons so I would strongly suggest to call prior to coming to see me if at all possible to avoid a trip to the Town Hall when I am not in my office.

My voicemail will also be updated by Thursday afternoon for the following week if there will be any changes in my days/hours. I appreciate your patience and understanding during my transition period and I look forward to collaborating with you all.

Sincerely,  
Rachel Lewis  
Phone: (413) 339-5520 ext. 107  
Email: nurse@rowe-ma.gov



## Annual Town Meeting



*Rowe's State Representative Natalie Blais for Franklin District 1 shares a moment with Fire Chief Dennis Annear.*



*Rowe School Principal Bill Knittle*



*Annual Town Meeting Voters Pledge Allegiance to the Flag, the traditional start of the meeting.*



## Town Clerk

Submitted by Paul McLatchy III

Office hours continue to be on Thursday evenings from 6:00-8:00 and by appointment. I usually check into the office multiple nights a week and check email almost daily, so if you call or email me, I will try to get back to you within a day or so.

The annual town election took place on Saturday, May 14th. Thank you to Warden Ramon Sanchez, Clerk Loretta Dionne, Constable Henry Dandeneau, and Tellers Christine and Jeff Bailey. Turnout was surprisingly low this year, with only 42 voters casting their ballots.

The following is a summary of the election, with full results available on the website. Terms are for three years unless otherwise noted, incumbents are noted with an asterisk (\*), and WI = "write-in".

Board of Assessors	Herbert Butzke*
Board of Health	Margaret Rice*
Board of Selectmen	Edward Silva* (WI)
Cemetery Commission	James Williams*
Finance Committee (3)	Lauren Werner (WI)
Finance Committee (2)	Wayne Zavotka*
Finance Committee (1)	Daniel Pallotta (WI)
Library Trustees	Karen Soviecke* (Decl.)
Moderator	Robert Clancy*
Park Commission	Christopher Hyytinen* (WI)
Planning Board (5)	Chuck Sokol*
School Committee	Mary Paige*

Write-in candidates Ed Silva, Lauren Werner, and Dan Pallotta have indicated that they will serve, with Chris Hyytinen still unknown at the time of submission. Karen Soviecke submitted a notice that she has reconsidered and will not be accepting another three-year term as library trustee. Therefore, this position will be filled by an appointment until the next annual election. Thank you, Karen, for your years of service to the library! If you were elected to a position, please stop by and get sworn in. This applies to everyone, even those who have already been serving in their position.

The Annual Town Meeting took place on May 9th, and while there was a great deal of discussion on articles, it was not particularly full of surprises. For the most part, articles were approved as submitted. A few financial articles had their funding source changed, and the town tabled an article on adopting a bylaw that prohibits burn buildings. Bylaws that were adopted are being submitted to the Attorney General's office, which will then go into effect once approved. Full results are available on the town website.



## Rowe Town Library News

Submitted by Molly Lane, Library Director

### **NEW HOURS!!**

**Tuesday 10-5**

**Wednesday 12-8 Thursday 3-7**

**Saturday 10-3**

Have you been in to see Donnas' picks? Every couple weeks Donna picks a few books to order multiple copies of books she has researched and found to be highly recommended. Stop in for a quick read.

The library will be putting out a table for all to drop off or collect local overflow produce, plants seeds or other garden related items. Hope you will consider sharing any extras by dropping them on our outdoor table.

We are working with local departments, Rowe Camp and Conference Center and many residents to coordinate the upcoming Saturday Night at the Movies Series. We are excited to work with everyone in creating more social activities/events for our community.

### **Programs:**

#### **Adults:**

Indigo Dye Workshop-Thursday June 9th at 5:30PM. Please call to reserve your spot. Participants in this workshop will be able to make one large towel and can bring any items from home that they want to dye.

*Book Chat*- "Black Cake" by Charmaine Wilkerson-Wednesday June 15th at 3:30 pm

#### **Kids:**

Toddler Group-Tuesday June 14th and June 28th at 10:30 a.m

Summer Reading Kick Off Pizza Party!-Tuesday June 21st at 5 pm. Games and art too!

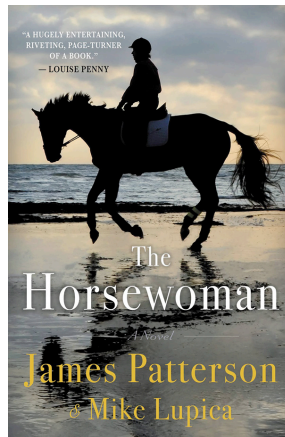
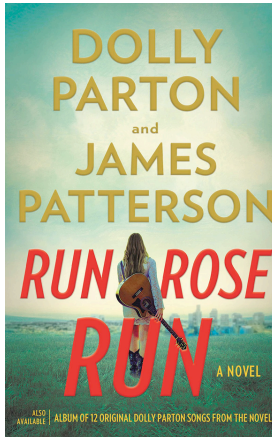
Summer Reading Program- 6 weeks of weekly workshops/activities for students of Elementary School Age. Program starts Wednesday June 29th at 2:30 and runs weekly through August 3rd. Call to sign up...

Contact the library if you would like to be put on our email notifications for programs Rowelibrary@gmail.com

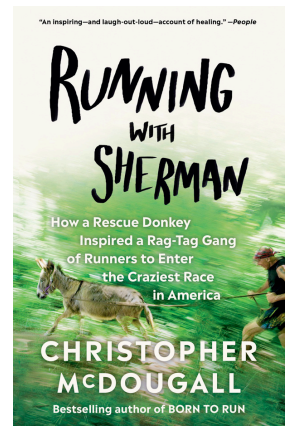


## Some New Items This Month

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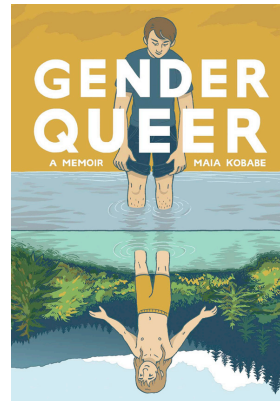
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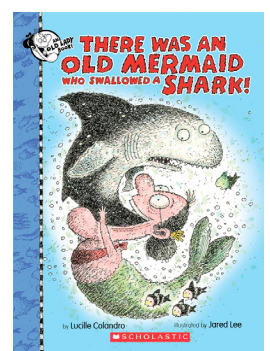
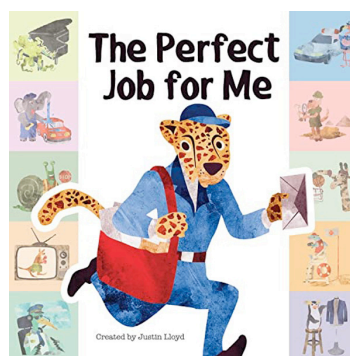
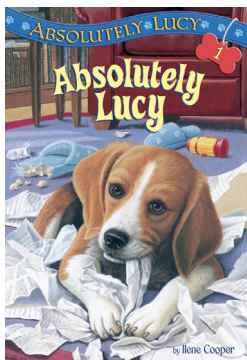
### Large Print:



### Graphic Novels:



### Kids:



# ROWE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



May was a busy month, inside and outside the school. Both the 3/4 and 5/6 classes took the MCAS ELA, and Math test, and the 5th graders took the Science MCAS. The 3/4 continued their work in their Outdoor Classroom, an amazing space they have created in the woods at the top of the hill behind the school, and worked on the Fort Pelham trail for their Community Service project. The P3 Class (Grades 1 and 2, along with others) have been working in the vegetable gardens outside the Library windows, and the P1 and P2 classes have been exploring nature at Pelham Lake Park, while the 5/6 class has been exploring different areas around the Park (and beyond) and cleaned up along Davis Mine Road for their Community Service project. This is in addition to the math, reading, and writing work they are doing everyday, both inside and outside the school.

It has also been fun for the students to be able to remove their masks, if they choose, while playing outside, while we are all masked inside the school. The NBSU Admin. Team and nurses are meeting regularly, and consulting with the Rowe Board of Health, to make sure we are allowing students to be as safe as possible, while offering freedom where appropriate.

We appreciate the support shown by the voters in Rowe for the school at Town Meeting, allowing us to offer a high-quality academic, social, emotional, and physical education to the Rowe students.

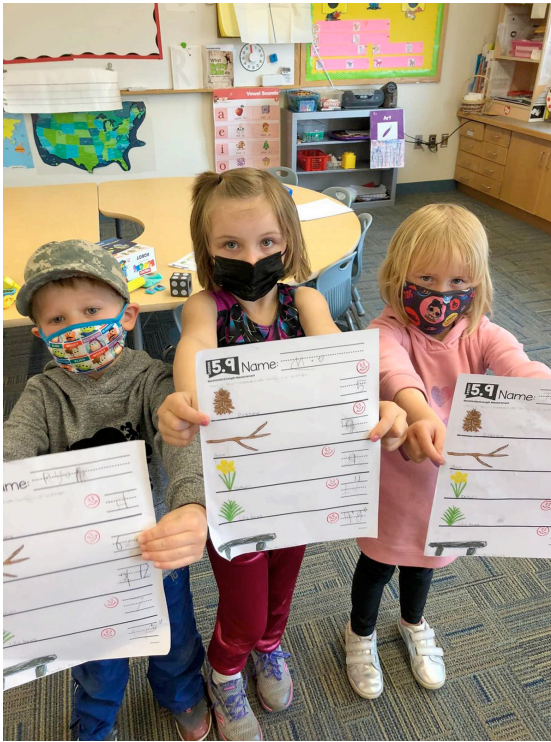
The last day of school is scheduled for Monday, June 13, and we are planning Graduation for Friday, June 10 at 6:30 outside the school. Summer School invitations have gone out, and it starts on Tuesday, June 21 for students.

It has been another difficult year, and the entire school staff has stepped up and done what the students needed to both be safe and to learn in this challenging environment. To me, they are heroes, essential workers, and angels combined. The support of Susie Zavotka and the rest of the School Committee, Superintendent Franzoni and the rest of the NBSU Central Office staff, the Rowe School community, and the Town Hall staff has made it possible to be open in-person all year, and my heart-felt thanks goes out to everyone.

If you have questions or concerns, please call me at 413-512-5100. You can also email me at [wknightle@roweschool.org](mailto:wknightle@roweschool.org). I look forward to hearing from you.

-Submitted by Bill Knittle





P2 Measuring



3/4 Houses



5/6 Hiking Poetry



Weeding



## Hosea Ballou

Submitted by Joanne Semanie

There are some characters in local history that loom larger than life because of the stories that have survived telling through multiple generations. Perhaps they are out of the ordinary or interesting enough to capture attention. This is the case of Hosea Ballou. The first time I learned about him was years ago when told of the hermit who lived in a cave in the woods in back of the Refuse Gardens and that the cave was still there. I recently received a copy of the town's Pauper Account for Hosea from 1885 to 1899. It listed many familiar names from Rowe and the amounts of money that were reimbursed to them for clothing and housing during the winter. The listing for 1886 shows that BT Henry and Edward Wright made sure he was clothed, and Mrs. N.D. Taylor housed him through the winter to the tune of \$38.75. I had always thought that taking care of Hosea was an altruistic act on the part of some residents in Rowe but with a little research learned otherwise. In the 1800s the care of paupers was typically bid on by members of the town so it may have been more about an income stream than a selfless act. The only information I have seen about this is the Pauper Account which was just the reimbursements to those who took care of Hosea in any particular year.

I had to do some research to find out who Hosea was. Did he have family in Rowe? How long did he live here? The first record of Hosea in Rowe is the 1870 Census where he was living with E. Henry Hawkes and his wife and working as a farm laborer. He was listed as 50 years old. He then shows up on the 1880 Census living with Edward Newell. Listed as a boarder with his occupation as pauper and 12 months unemployed we get another piece of the picture, but the most telling column ticked off on this census lists him as insane. The rest of the known information about Hosea is on the Pauper Account. For the last few years of his life, he was kept by all different people in town, someone different every year. By 1897 there is the first entry for payment to Northampton Lunatic Asylum and that is where he remained until his death in 1899.

So, an interesting character and situation but what about Hosea's den? In a deed from 1901 Hosea's Den is referred to as a boundary marker. This is the only deed I found with that reference.



*Nan Williams in the cave*

Some years ago Nancy Williams hiked to his dwelling and photographed it. As we all know with electronic devices the photographs were lost in the ether. Curiosity getting the better of her and probably a little bit of needing to show the stories were true she mounted a group to hike to Hosea's cave and photograph it for this story. She returned with some wonderful photos.

For me this was great information. It made me feel a little better about the conditions Hosea was living in but there are so many unanswered questions. How many months out of the year was he living there? Was he foraging for food or did people make sure he ate? Where did he come from? Did he have family anywhere? What caused him to be believed insane?

The research continues, I like a challenge. At this point I would tell you to visit the museum to see some artifacts in a case or read some records but the best I can do is recommend a walk in the woods. Hosea's den will be there forever, it will be interesting to see how long his name is attached to it.



photo by Rick Williams

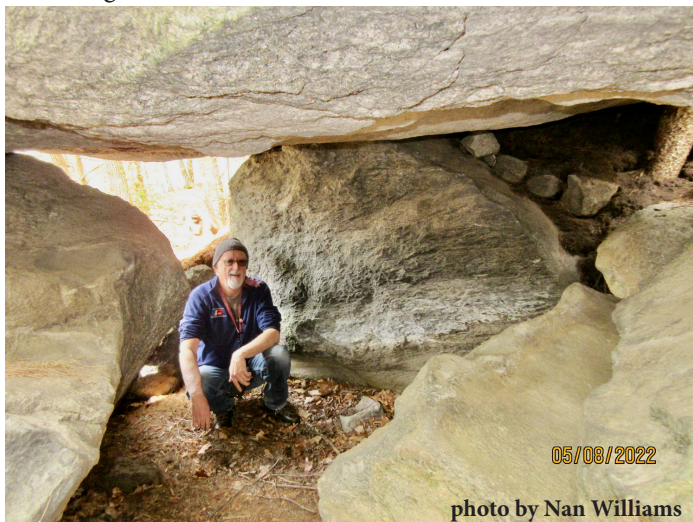


photo by Nan Williams

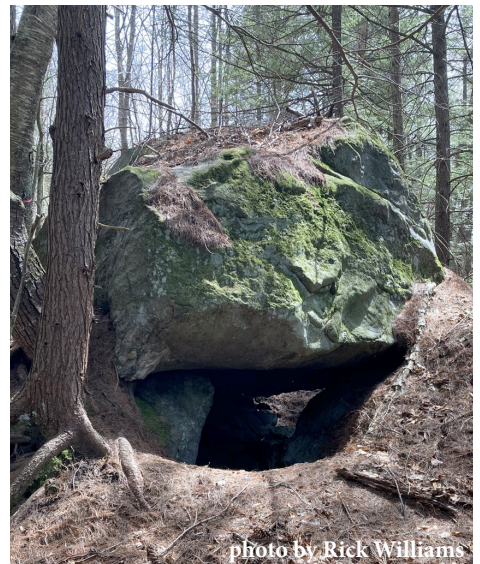
*Rick Williams giving us an idea of the size of the space.*

photo by Rick Williams

*The entrance to Hosea's Cave*



## PELHAM LAKE PARK NEWS

With summer right around the corner, it's time to dust off those hiking shoes and hit the trails. There are plenty of opportunities in the park to explore some of the finest hiking (20 miles of trails) in western MA. If hiking isn't your thing, you could always try your luck with mtn biking, birding, or even catching that state record largemouth bass! Whatever your fancy is in outdoor recreation the park has you covered.

This June we will be hiring Piretti Tennis out of Pittsfield Ma to clean the courts for the summer, a long overdue cleaning. We will also be getting quotes to rebuild one of the courts for next spring.

We have been working closely with Long View Forest (company that did our forest management plan) through The Mohawk Trail Woodlands Partnership Grant to complete some of our projects laid out in the plan. We've planted 200 white and red oak seedlings off of the Davenport Trail to assist with climate change and to have a better diverse forest, inoculated a hand full of Ash trees to protect them from the Emerald Ash Borer Beetle, laid out an interpretive old growth habitat trail that will highlight what an old growth forest would be like and lastly installed 4 hemlock monitoring plots to monitor the hemlock woolly adelgid and educated the 3,4 and 5,6 elementary school kids and their teachers on how to monitor the plots. We also hired Longview to do a trail assessment for a detailed long term maintenance plan and to create a new trail map that can be downloaded to your phone and used as a gps map, so you always know where you are in the park. There will also be a paper map for those folks that still like the old fashion way of navigation.

Projects for the summer are as followed: Install the new trailhead kiosks (5 large, 8 small). Re-deck the majority of the foot bridges, reroute a small portion of the beach trail around the last mud section. Finish the cliffside Trail. Clean all water drainage ditches on the 1792 Trail, Old Kings Highway Trail, Sabrina Rice Trail and Williams Trail and install new beach sand under the new play structure.

If anyone knows or is interested in being this year's swim instructor, please call the Park Headquarters at 413-339-8554.

Lastly, we will be offering the summer Rec Program this year. Please see Emma Poplawski (this years Rec Director) insert in this month's goalpost for the details.

Happy summer and get out there and recreate!

Submitted by Sean Loomis



Hello! My name is Emma Poplawski and I am excited to announce that I will be running the Summer Rec Program at Pelham Lake Park! This year the program will run 10am to 2pm Monday through Thursday from July 18th to August 11th. The program is available for Rowe residents and school of choice families ages 5-12. There is a \$100.00 fee for each participant who is school of choice. Each of the four weeks will have a theme, which will be revealed at the beginning of each week. We will be engaging in outdoor recreation - such as hiking, kayaking, building shelters, and swimming - with a little bit of outdoor learning.

Interest forms were recently sent home, and these can be returned to the school as soon as possible so we can get an idea on the number of interested participants. We will also be sending registration packets home soon, which can be returned to the school as well. Please submit all registration forms by July 1st so we can begin planning for the program!

I can be reached at [em.poplawski33@gmail.com](mailto:em.poplawski33@gmail.com), and please don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions!

### **Rowe History Hikes The History of Pelham Lake Park**

**When: June 25th, 9 am**

**Where: Davis Mine Rd. Parking at Pelham Lake Park**

Our third hike will explore our very own Pelham Lake Park. We will discuss the history of the property, the life of its donor Percy Brown and some of the ways that the Park is preparing for the future. Starting from the parking area, we will hike about 2 miles along the Sabrina Rice, Lake View, and Babbling Brook Trails.

Please contact Dana at (413) 834-7664 or [dmwilliams237@gmail.com](mailto:dmwilliams237@gmail.com) to sign up. Details also available on the Rowe Historical Society Facebook page.

### **Rowe Historical Society Museum Grand Opening for the 2022 Season June 25th – "Textiles of Rowe: Ladies Dresses and Quilts"**

10 am - 2pm - Rowe History Museum and  
Browning Bench Farming Museum open

12 pm - Lunch at the Museum (free grilled food)

Museum 2022 schedule: The museum will be open from 10 am - 2 pm every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month until September 17th. The Historical Society Annual Meeting will be July 9 at 1 pm in the Rowe History Museum.



## Angela E. Fraley Foshay

Rowe, MA — Angela Eunice Fraley Foshay, known as Ann, died peacefully at the home of her friend and caregiver Rita Gray-Lively in Heath, Massachusetts on April 28, 2022.

Born January 9, 1924 in San Francisco, Ann was the youngest of three children of Ferdinand Miguel Fraley and Marion Louise Sopher. She spent her early years in Oakland and Piedmont, California, and graduated from the University of California-Berkeley in 1945. Shortly after graduating, she traveled to postwar Europe to work for US Government aid programs. After returning from Europe she moved to New York City, which became her home for four decades. Always interested in education, Ann worked as an elementary school teacher, among other jobs, and finally enrolled in the doctoral program in education at Teachers College, Columbia University, where she received her PhD in 1977. Her dissertation was later published as *Schooling and Innovation: The Rhetoric and the Reality* (Tyler-Gibson, 1981).

While at Teachers College, Ann became close friends with Dr. Arthur Wellesley Foshay and his wife Finette Partridge Foshay, who divided their time between New York and the tiny town of Rowe, Massachusetts. After Finette died unexpectedly, Wells proposed to Ann, and they were married in 1982. Ann moved with Wells to Rowe, and, although she had never had children of her own, she immediately became "Grandma Ann" to Wells. A devoted baker and spry homemaker, Ann believed that children thrived on a diet of homemade apple pie and "wicked chocolate ice cream," a recipe of her own creation that has never been replicated—fortunately for the health of her surviving family.

Ann remained Wells's devoted partner until he died at the age of 86 in 1998, and she continued living in Rowe and in apartments they purchased together, first in Boston and later in New York City. A civic-minded member of the community, she served on the Rowe Board of Health and in a variety of other unofficial capacities in the town, and she often opened her home on Ford Hill Road for community events.

In lieu of flowers, contributions are requested to the  
Town of Rowe Fire Department, 4 Sibley Road

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# The Rowe Center

WORKSHOPS • RETREATS • SUMMER CAMPS

The Rowe Center is pleased to offer residents and those who work for the town the opportunity to experience one of our weekend workshops, either online or on-site, once a year free of charge. For more information about programs. or to register, please go to our website [rowe.center/programs/](http://rowe.center/programs/) or call our registrar at 339-4954.

## JUNE

### ONLINE:

#### Third Saturday of the Month:

Couples' Date Night: Come Play with Your

Lover FREE

Thomas and Sara Stout

#### Last Tuesday of the Month:

A Gathering of Warriors During Global Crisis

FREE

Charlie Pacello and Chuck Blocher

#### Every Other Monday:

Gathering of Grandparents FREE

Jane Isay

## June 7-28

Embodied Storytelling: Writing  
for Page and Stage

Ann Randolph

## June 28-July 26

Rewilding the Psyche Through Poetry: A Five Part Writing Course

Mary Reynolds Thompson

## ON-SITE WEEKEND PROGRAMS:

### June 17-19

Advanced Mischief for Activists, Artists,  
and Troublemakers

The Yes Men

## Youth Camps

Rowe Youth Camps are a place where campers grow, have fun, connect with others, and feel accepted and valued. We make a space where young people can be all of themselves: the part that wants to play and the part that wants to think seriously about the world. Residents of Rowe and those who attend Rowe Elementary attend for half price. Read more and register online at [rowe.center/camps](http://rowe.center/camps)

Junior High Camp (ages 13-15): June 26 – July 15

Young People's Camp 1 (ages 8-10): July 17 – 22

Young People's Camp 2 (ages 9-11): July 24 – 29

Young People's Camp 3 (ages 11-13): July 17 – 29

Senior High Camp (ages 16-19): July 31 – Aug 19

**A big THANK YOU** of appreciation goes to the Rowe Fire Dept. for their fast response to our bedroom fire on Saturday the 14th. We would also like to thank Charlemont Fire Dept, Shelburne Falls Fire Dept, Florida Fire Dept. and Colrain Fire Dept and all other responding units that night. We appreciate the hard work that you did to put out the fire, saving us and our home.

A special thank you goes to Officer Kyle Sweeney who arrived here first and with a fire extinguisher to put out the fire. If he hadn't arrived so quickly there could have been a lot more damage. Kyle and my husband worked together before the fire dept came to get the fire out. He stayed and talked with us during this time and helped my husband with his injured foot. Thank you again Kyle.

We will always appreciate the hard work, dedication and commitment that first responders made that night and the dedication they show every time when responding to an emergency.

With deepest appreciation and thanks  
Mike & Norma Denson





**Mary E. Lenth**, 92, of Rowe, MA passed away peacefully, Thursday, May 5, surrounded by family at Baystate Medical Center in Springfield, MA, after a short illness.

"Betty" is survived by her beloved husband David W. Lenth of Rowe, MA; brother Robert R. Doliber of Narragansett, RI; daughter Jacquelyn Lenth of Lincoln, MA; granddaughter Rebecca Falender of Portland, OR; grandson Jason Falender and great grandson Leon Falender of Sudbury, MA.

Betty was born in South Kingston, RI on January 15, 1930, the daughter of Robert Ray Doliber and Genevieve I. Rose. Raised in the fishing community of Pt. Judith, within sight of the ocean, Betty always loved the sea. She married David Wells Lenth on June 17th, 1950 and they moved to Rowe in 1959 where they raised their family.

She was a creator. Betty loved crafts and fabric art: ranging from painting, weaving, knitting and quilting to braiding rugs and needlepoint. With her husband, they lovingly renovated an antique farmhouse on Tunnel Road. In 1966, Betty and Dave moved to Deep River, CT. After working at Wesleyan University for many years as an administrative assistant, she and her husband Dave designed and built their current post and beam home and retired in Rowe.

Betty will be remembered for her ready laugh, her passion for the birds, and her magnificent garden; but most of all she will be remembered for her loving devotion to family and friends. She filled all of our lives with joy.

-Submitted by Tim Kelleher

The **Rowe Beautification committee** has been busy at work throughout the town. We've cleaned and weeded around the gazebo, town office building, veterans monument, areas by Potter and Ford Hill Rd., and other places. We have also planted the barrel at the town line, the fountain area at the town office, the barrel near the highway department, and the barrels at the transfer station.

The Rowe School third and fourth graders assisted with mulching around the gazebo and town office which looks wonderful. They worked very well together and were a wonderful group of students. All was greatly appreciated.

If you would like to join the committee, please let Cyndie know. You may call her at 339-4231 or if you have any ideas how to beautify our town, we will entertain them.



photo by Sue Williams




## Saturday Night At the MOVIES

 ★ Dog

June 11, 2022  
(Rain date June 18)

 ★ Grease

July 9, 2022  
(Rain date July 16)

 ★ The  
Greatest  
Showman

Aug 13, 2022  
(Rain date Aug 20)

Pelham Lake Park, Rowe. Movies start at 8:30 pm

Bring your lawn chairs/ blankets and bring the whole family,  
for a fun evening under the stars. **FREE** popcorn and water

## Rowe Community Church

Submitted by Ros Mullette

- June 5    Worship & Observance of  
            The Lord's Supper
- 12        Worship & Praise Service
- 19        Worship & Praise Service
- 26        Worship & Praise Service

## June Birthdays

- 2 - Chris Morano
- 2 - Reed Brown
- 3 - Gail May
- 3 - Matt Crowningshield
- 4 - Dan Miller
- 5 - Dennis Humbert
- 7 - Dick Quinn
- 7 - Leann Loomis
- 7 - Roman M. Kichorowsky
- 9 - Pru Berry
- 9 - Crystal Reardon
- 9 - Hannah Poplawski
- 11 - Brandon Sprague
- 12 - Aria Killough-Miller
- 13 - Taylor Loomis
- 19 - Paulette Roccio
- 20 - Alan Bjork
- 21 - Catherine Snyder
- 21 - Steve Crowningshield
- 29 - Carl Pittsley

If you would like to add or remove a  
name from this list, please contact me at:  
[GoalPostEditor@gmail.com](mailto:GoalPostEditor@gmail.com)



# *Town Services*

## Town Main Line at 413-339-5520

<u>Position/Dept.</u>	<u>Ext #</u>	<u>Email Address</u>	<u>Hours</u>
<u>Admin Assistant</u>	<u>101</u>		
<u>Assessors Office</u>	<u>104</u>	<u>assessor@rowe-ma.gov</u>	<u>Wed 8-1 or by Appt</u>
<u>Board of Health</u>	<u>105</u>	<u>boh@rowe-ma.gov</u>	<u>Mon 8-1 Clerk</u>
<u>DPW</u>	<u>111</u>	<u>dwphighway@rowe-ma.gov (339-5588)</u>	
<u>Executive Secretary</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>townadmin@rowe-ma.gov</u>	<u>Mon-Thurs 9:30-5:00</u>
<u>Fire Dept</u>	<u>112</u>	<u>firechief@rowe-ma.gov (339-4001)</u>	
<u>Fitness Room</u>	<u>149</u>		
<u>Library</u>	<u>114</u>	<u>rowelibrary@gmail.com</u>	<u>Tues: 10-5 Wed: 12-8 Thu: 3-7 Sat: 10-3</u>
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<u>Police</u>	<u>113</u>	<u>policechief@rowe-ma.gov (339-8340)</u>	
<u>Tax Collector</u>	<u>106</u>	<u>collector@rowe-ma.gov</u>	<u>Mon-Wed: 9:00-5:00</u>
<u>Town Accountant</u>	<u>102</u>	<u>accountant@rowe-ma.gov</u>	<u>By Appt.</u>
<u>Town Clerk</u>	<u>103</u>	<u>townclerk@rowe-ma.gov</u>	<u>Thurs: 6-8:00pm or by Appt.</u>
<u>Town Nurse</u>	<u>107</u>	<u>nurse@rowe-ma.gov</u>	<u>Mon: 8-4, Wed: 10-6, and Thurs: 8-4</u>
<u>Transfer Station</u>			<u>Sat: 8- 2:00pm, Sun: 8- Noon, Wed: 7 -10am &amp; 4 - 7pm</u>
<u>Treasurer</u>	<u>108</u>	<u>treasurer@rowe-ma.gov</u>	<u>By Appt.</u>
<u>School</u>	<u>(413) 512-5100</u>		

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